DOINGS OF THE DAY.

A Condensed Review of Events Transpired and Transpiring

In and About Canton-Bits of News Gathered from All of the Many Sources Found in a Progressing, Thriving City.

Misses Mary Henry, Louisa Kieff-r and Louisa Zimper Sundayed at Canal Fulton.

By appearances Canton contractors scooped in almost everything at Carroll ton except the sod.

There were 50 deaths in the city 'uring the month of April, 30 of them being caused by measles.

Growing wheat is looking up, and sach, plum and cherry rees are get ting in full bloom.

Mr. Joseph Henry, Mrs. Margaret Hai-ter and Mrs. Louis Engel spent yester day with relatives and friends in aud

around Malvern. The grounds are being cleaned at the lake.

The street p rade of Sells Bros.' show next Friday will be a grand one. Bennett & Mouston are billing the

city. They open next Monday night. Miss Mamle Hahn, of 127 East Tu ca awas street, leaves to day for Chicago on an extended visit to friends and rela tives. A new horse disease has made, its ap

pearance among the horses in this city. W. S. Shertzer lost two by it isweek. Daniel Thedy and Cintha Gueler were married at the res dence of the bride's

parents by 'Squire Mark Wettach Satur-The enterprising (?) Rap got "scooped" on the Carrollton fraud and then did

baby act by crying. Poor thing, how it must have hurt 'er. Mr. John M. Faber will soon open a

fine grocery and provision house in the room lately vacated by J. A Meyer, the jeweler, on North Market street. A little son of Fritz Chopard had several teeth kicked out by a horse yester-

day. It was found, upon examination, that the jaw bone was also fractured. A. S. Humberger, of Massillon, has purchased the extensive dry goods stock of Paul J. Gaume, of Atliance, and will in all probability move it to Massillon.

The work of laying water mains on Rast Third street will soo : be complet ed. Superintendent McKinney soys he will have mains laid all over the city by the 1st of July.

The unexcelled, stupendous combination of circuses, menageries, museums and special and startling novelties gathered together to Sella Bros', great show will be here Friday.

The Gilliam building, corner Market and Third streets, will be built back to Court street. The front on Market street will be used for store rooms and the rear portion for the shop.

John Miley, an old railroad hand, was killed at Alitance, Monday by being caught between the bumpers while coupling cars. It was instant death, crushing in his breast. Deceased leaves his wife and eight offspring.

Nelson Riddle, a dusky gentleman of leisure, was very badly riddled with rum last night, and roosted in the city cage in consequence. The Mayor very kindly silowed him two hours in which to settle up his affairs in this city and seek new pastures. He has left us.

Mary Corey, the imbecile girl, daugh Maria Corey, the housekeeper for Dan Winkleman, who now keeps a place in the Oak Grove neighborhood, and John Miller, a tramp, who had a knee hurt by the cars, have been sent by the Township Trustees to the Infirmary.

Charles S. Stover, who has just re turned from California, where he has been living for some time, has accepted position of clerk at the Barnett Hotel, made vacant by the resignation of Charles W. Martin. Mr. Martin commenced with Mr. Dueber at the Heights

yesterday. It is reported that an attempt had been made to set fire to the residence of Mr. Welsh, at No. 42 North Cherry, Sun day night, coal oil being used to saturate the woodwork. Two unknown per sons, it is said, were seen in the neigh-borhood, but were frightened away be-

fore a match was applied. Circuit Judge Albaugh has gone to Youngstown to hold court, having exchanged seats with Judge Lauble, who is holding court in New Philadelphia. The exchange was made because Judge Albaugh was formerly interested as an attorney in several cases which will come before the Tuscarawas county

There was a full attendance of the Commissioners of Stark and Columbiana counties at the meeting of the joint board held at the Children's Home Tuesday. The only important business transacted was the election of Hon. S. C. Bowman, of Massillon, as a trustee of the Home, to take the place of Mr. C. F Ricks, whose term has just expired.

Mr. W. W. Anderson, one of the sub stantial, old reliable Democrats of the east end, has purchased the popular Rast Tuscarawas street saloon and res-taurant known as the Empire from Mr. Charles Nist, and is now in possession of the establishment. Billy is a square man all through and will not be long in securing a host of friends in this city.

Following is a clipping from the Peoria (Illinois) Transcript, of April 25th: "The first suit commenced in the Peoris branch of the Unived States Courts is that of the Chieftain Hay Bake Company, Canton, Ohio, vs. Hoover, Lee & Company, Rock Island, Ill. It involves the patent right of a post hole digger and \$3,000 damages. The attor neys are Cratty Bros., Fuiler & Gallup."

W. M. Cox has resigned his position with the Adams Express Co., and will probably return to his old pastime as foreman in the lumber yard of J. R. Poyser & Son. The Adamss Express Company loses the service of a good and efficient man. While with the company Mr. Cox made a large circle of friends ong the business and manufacturing concerns, all of whom sincerely regret to see him leave the company,

Dr. Franklin Hudson's three-year-old colt ran away with him, while he was driving south on Walnut street at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon. The horse started at Fifth street and a short distance south of Tuscar awas threw the doctor out and wrecked the buggy. The animal was stopped at Ninth street. Dr. Hudson was considerably bruised and had a leg injured. The horse had both hind legs injured. badly out and lacerated.

Mr. Henry W. Kerch, who for two years past has had charge of the adver-tising department of the DEMOCRAT, has purchased the Bazaar China Store of Mr. C. W. Werner, No. 38 East Tuscarawas street. The store is now being invoiced preliminary to the change. Mr. Kerch is an able and enterprising young bust ness man and will conduct the bus ness in a strictly first-class manner. Every-thing new and novel in the line of goods which he will carry will be on his ters as soon as it appears on the marke...

Everyone will be welcome at the Bazaar and Mr. Kerch will give full value for everybody's money. Miss Julia McCormick has returned

from her visit to the east. Menches & Barber are in Massillon. A number of Cantonians will visit them to-night. About half the people in Greentown

ar- in the city to-day to testify before Grand Jury in a liquor case. Mr. S. M. Lydy, of Delaware, O , is vis iting his son in law, W. H. Burgener. 195 West Tuscarawas street.

A large number of Massillon and Alliance people have been in the city giving testimony before the grand jury. Sells Bros.' Circus, with Pawnee Bill's Wild West and scores of other new features, will exhibit in Canton Friday.

The little Gem is the workingman's popular thea er. No exhorbitant tariff is put on when first class attractions ap-

COURT CULLINGS.

Items of Interest Picked Up in the House of Justice

Following is a re-ume of the latest work in the Stark County Courts:

COMMON PLRAS.

The following is the assignment of cases as corrected this (Tuesday) morning: COURT ROOM NO. 1 .- JUDGE PEASE.

Thursday, M y 5 -2767, Mueller vs

W timan.

F iday, May 6-3130-White vs.

E setcher; 3131, Davie vs. Thom; 3155
Higgins v. Higgins; 3168, Davie vs.

Martin; 3179, Roth vs. Roth. In the case of Levonia Case vs John

Atwell Judge Raley confirmed the decis-ton of F E. Baldwin, referee. arah Jack on Hill was granted a decree of divorce from Harry Hill by Judge Raley this (Wednesday) morning. COURT ROOM NO 2 .- JUDGE RALEY.

Thursday, May 5.—3595, Crubaugh vs. Crubaugh; 3599, Catiin vs. Van Wert County Mutual Fire Insurance Com-pany; 3653, Vogele vs. Vogele; 3657, Ginsser vo. Glasser.
Frid y. May 6 -3764, Quest vs. Quest;
3776, Cukis vs. Yest; 3795 Walker vs.

Bail; 3318 Bradshaw vs. Powell. The following cases have been dispos

ed of, either by continuance, settlement or dismissal: 1932, Bachtel vs. McKinney; 2789, Wer-

ner Bro's vs. Miller; 2791, Atwell vs. Pow; 2879, Alexander s. McKinney; 2917, Reese Jr. vs. Kagy; 3010, Board of Edu-cation Lawrence Tp. vs. Willow Bank Coal Co.; 3090, Jones vs. Jones; 3220 Ohio ex rel Morgan vs. Trustees Washington fp.; 3241, Ohio ex rel Johnson vs. Trustees Washington Tp.; 3265, Taylor and Son, vs. Crocker; 9350, Strouse & Bros, vs. Ruhman, Ernst & Oo.; 3382, Royer vs. Nash, Taylor & Co.; 3449, Landrock vs. Keker : 3498, Callahan vs. Callahan : 3629, Reese Jr. vs. K. gy; 3658, Penny vs. Etch-herger; 3679, Kinsley vs. Dickey; 3709 Austin vs. Teeters; 3717, Drayer vs. Drayer's Adm'r; 3772, Belter vs. Schreiner, 3814, Overholt vs. Custer.

NEW CASES. 5338-William Held vs. Killinger &

Co ; appeal. 5339-Henry Dillman vs. Henry A Smith et al; law. 5342-Bartly Ward vs. Pairlek Burk;

law. 5343-James J. Welker vs. Jonathan Worley; equity.

PROBATE COURT.

William Housel has been appointed guardian of Elia J. and Salolia Myers. The will of Eugene Erement, of Nimishilen township, has been probated.
The following marriage licenses have been issued: Samuel G. Norcross and Laura G. Cox, Massillon; William B. Norcross and Lizzle Schawn, Massillon; Andrew Kunzman and Catherine

Sweitzer, Plain township; George L. Zimmer and Lucretta Koontz, Sandy township; William A. Hammerly and Clara Brunkel, Massillon: Jefferson Breitigan and Eliza Zengler, Pike town-

The heirs of Mary Ann Myers, late of Canai Fulton, have excepted to the ac-counts of Alois Steiner, executor of the estate and a hearing is going on in Pro-bate Court this (Tuesday) afternoon They claim that certain property was not disposed of by the executor in ac cordance with the provisionsof the will. The will of Magdeline Shaw, late of

Louisville, has been probated. The will of Jacob Sprankle was pro bated this morning.

The following marriage licenses have been issued: Edward Hazen and Alcena

Bober'son, Marlboro; Harvy A. Judd and Alpharetta E. Switzer, Canton; Levi Siagle and Abbie A. Wallace, Washing-ton township; Peter Siagle and Alice L. Willis, Paris.

A LIZARD STORY.

The Slimey Reptile Found in a Curious The Carroll Chronicle of this week

contains the following:

Mrs. George Moore, who lives on Bax-ter Bidge, five miles northwest of Car rollton, has led a miserable life for four months past with a live reptile of some sort in her bowels and stomach. Mrs

Moore is about 65 years of age and has reared a family of nine children, but she says she has suffered comparatively nothing until within the past four months since which time the reptile has been giving her very much trouble She was a very large, fleshy woman, but has become reduced almost to a skeleton and would welcome death as a relief to her misery. The reptile, she thinks, is about four inches long, has a flat, s. ake-like head, and moves from the stomach to the lower bowels. Her wild look and suppressed terror as this monster travels through her body are pitiful to behold. At times they can catch it under the skin and hold it as long as the woman can stand its wiggling. It comes up into her stomach to feed, and when it drinks they can hear it "lap," "lap," very distinctly across the room—the woman being aware of every movement of her disagreeable companion. She has taken freely of medicine and purgatives but all to no

avail—the reptile refusing to partake, leaving the stomach and entering the when the woman take inwardly any disagreeable potion Mrs. Moore earnestly requests that her body be relieved of the reptile after her death. She has no means of knowing how the reptile got in to her stomach. The past four years she has not felt very well. but only for four months past has she been so ill as we have indicated.

Prohibition Convention

The Stark County Prohibition Convention will be held in the Opera House in this city on Wednesday, May 25th, at which time they expect to nominate a full county ticket, and also appoint their delegates to the State Convention, which means in Delaware O. June 20th. which meets in Delaware, O., June 29th Dr. Leonard will be at the Canton con vention and in the evening will speak to a mass meeting in the Opera House Subject, The Deadly Upas Tree.

I have six good, strong Italian Bees which are offered for sale at reasonable prices. Call on or address

CHARLES A. PONTIUS 274 North Market street, Canton. REAL ESTATE OPTIONS.

Men Who Speculate on Wind and a Small Ante,

To the Disadvantage of Honest Investor .. What a Prominent Business Man Has to Say About the Fffeet It Will Have on the Boom.

Since the Dueber Works were secured to the city there has been going on a speci sof real estate gambling, which solid business men and legitimate investors are beginning to fear is an enemy to the progress and substantial growth of Canton.

A wealthy and influential Cantonian, who has done much to bring about the

present splendid boom, in conversation with a representative of the DEMOCRAT. expressed him-elf as very bitteriy opposed to the option plan of handling real estate. He said that it was ten times worse than the Wall street gamb-ling in stocks. The ides, he said, that a gang of windy gamblers can, for a few dollars, control valuable properties, and compel people who desire to locate in Canton, to pay exorbitant prices, is an outrage and should be stopped. Their outrage and should be stopped. Their method is to put up an insignificant sum of money for the "option" or privilege of purchasing a pi-ce of property within a certain time. They never continued the gentleman, intend to become, the owners, and could sol raise money to make a straight purchase if they wanted to. Suchoperators have been a great curse to the oil and gas regions, the mining towns and growing places of the west. When and growing places of the west. When the Dueber people commence coming here in earnest and begin looking for homes, every encouragement should be offered them. They should be treated fairly. They should have the privilege of purchasing from owners, or legiti mate real estate agents, without paying

blood money to a lot of sharks.

The gentleman referred to said that he would shortly contribute an article on the subject over his own signature. He wanted the city papers to give it to them rough shod, and advise property owners to give no options to anybody. He expressed the opinion that if this wild cat business continued that Can-ton's boom would be as badly over done as the oil and mining towns and that it

would drop about as quickly.

From a general inquiry among the best business men the scribe met with similar expressions. This species of gambling is rapidly growing in the city and options on much valuable property have atready been given. have already been given.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE For the Past Week, Reported by H. H

Trump, Abstracter of Titles Sarah A. Siebold to John J. Akins, lot No. 2761 in Cauton, \$925. Charles A. Daum to John M. Wells et

al, ote No. 80 and 81 in Hartford's addi-

tion to Canton, \$1,000.
Anthony Gerardot to Peter Linder Jr.
61.60 acres in Nimishillen tp. \$4.480.
Daniel Tomer to John Schultz, lot No. 2398 in Canton, \$200. C. F. Laiblin to Charles Schlagle, part

of lot No. 2264 in Canton, \$800.
A Z. Harter et al to Mabel C. Sherlock, lot in Canton, \$1,250.
Wm. Langenbach to J. A. Heingartner, east half lot No. 1505 in Canton,

\$1,500. Joseph Schott to O. L. Slentz, lot No. 3826 in Canton, \$800.

John Nauman to D. O'Donnor, lots No. 5 and 6, in Nauman's addition to Can

ton. \$650. X Zeller to J. H. McLain, parts of lots No. 63 and 64 in Massilion, \$2,500. I. G. Maline to W. L. Alexander et al, part of lot No. 16 in Canton, \$15 000.

Same to same parts of lots No. 16 and

17 in Canton, 38,500. A. O Slentz to A. C. Brant, part of lot No. 168 in Canton, \$1,500. Laura Schwalm to Gust Deuerling, lot in Canton, \$1,600.

William Keplinger to William Ecker, tract in Bathlebem tp. \$2,500.

Sarah Bauch to John E Kitzmiller, east half of lot No. 159 in Canton, \$4,000.

Sheriff of Stark county to L. J. Miday W. A. Creech and T. C. Snyder to Henry

Herbert, 91 36 100 acres in Canton to an A. M. McCurdy to A. K. Douglas et al, lot No. 1721 in Canton, \$1,000.

Albert Hasler to Frank Mullien, part of lot No. 161 in Canton, \$600. William Brenner to William Ketter. lets No. 21 and 22 in North Lawrence

Elizabeth Grant to Sol. Berlin, lots No 3 and 4 in Grant's addition to Abiance, \$400. F. Burkhart to John Bevan, lot in

Massillon, \$600. Karl Gantar to John W. Walser, lot in Plain township, \$2 800.
Frederick Haunchey to M. A. Furney, north half lot No. 19 in Webb's addition

to Alliance, \$1,000. H. S. Belder to Canton Stoneware Co. tract in Canton to waship, \$280. Charles F. Krayer to Gustavus Krayer,

lot No. 182 in Massillon, \$1,300. Paul Jones to Charles A. Shaw et al part of lot No. 128 in Canton, \$1,100. Sheriff of Stark county to John C. Klas, I acre in Perry township, \$1,900. Elizabeth Johnson to Mary Schneider, lot No. 837 in Canton, \$850.

Andrew J. Lothamer to Peter Lotha-mer, part of lot No. 257 in Canton, \$600.

ELTON ECHOES.

A Fresh Batch of News from Our Regula Correspondent.

Shanklin & Douglass have gone to West Brookfield with their mill....Mr.
Samuel Krider, known in all our section as "'Squire" Krider, has given or bequeathed to E. A. Oberlin his valuable and extensive political and historical library. It is a noted gathering of early reminiscences, both general and local, which he desires to be preserved by some younger man than he, who can in a nanner perpetuate and make useful the information gained therefrom....The humorous letters of Pit Schwefibrenner in your late issues of the DEMOCRAT, have been highly appreciated by our people who speak in the brogue in which "Pit" writes. It seems so much like some of their own fireside gossip

....On last Sabbath evening quite a re-ligious event took place at Bethel, of Upper Sugar Creek. Nineteen of last winter's converts were immersed ac-cording to the rites of the church. Quite a gathering witnessed the ceremony....Stands's Sunday School was organized last Sabbath for the ensuing year. Good, efficient officers were selected, and good work will no doubt be done.

A Grand Record.

We call your attention to the adver-tisement of a remedy which has stood the test of more than a half century with increasing popularity and is universally admitted to have no equal as a remedy for the cure of diseases originating in a disordered liver, such as dyspepsia, bil-lousness, constipation, headache, colle, etc. Simmons Liver Regulator is simple and harmless, purely vegetable, and can be safely and advantageously need under any circumstances. It acts mild-

ly and effectually and is especially Val urble as a family medicine, which post tion it holds in so many homes. We do not know another preparation while can bring forward such indersements from heads of families and those hold-ing the highest official and social posttions. Keep Simmons Liver Beguiator in your house; it will reduce your noc-t-r's bills and insure for your families

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hea th and happiness.
It seems strange, but it is neverthe ess true, that the world contains people wha will try to imitate, count-riest or substitute something else for a genuine, meritorious article, even to the extent or making a spurious medicine, ricking life and sealth and it behowes everyone to look that they buy only the genuine Zeilin & Co. have used the precaution to put on the front of each wrapper their trade mark of a curved Z cutwined signature of J. H. Zeilin & Co. Frauds should always be denounced and the true remedies only upheid.

POINTS PROM PERRY.

What Has Transpi ed in Massillon During the Past Day. Mr. H. J. Crowley is in the city. Mayor Frantz and wife spent Tues-

Every citizen should attend the gas meeting to night.

Mr. C. D McGuffey, of Chattancoga, Tenn., is visiting in the city. A · electric light will be placed at the corner of South and Brie streets.

Wm. Fleming, formerly of Massillon, at present of Cieveland, is in the city. Menches & Barber's ten cent circus is in the city and will exhibit here the remainder of the week.

Mr. John Dangler returned home Saturday from Wichita, Kansas, where he has been several weeks.

M.s. C. Magee, of Pittsburg, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. K. L. Warwick and Mrs. A. P. L. Pesse. Uhlendorf & Rudolph, jewelers, on Erie street, have put a new plate glass front in their store room.

Mr. Felix Shepley, who returned from Findlay Tuesday, has bung out his shingle as real estate dealer.

Mr Walter G. Wyandt, of Toledo, is visiting at the residence of Mr. William M. Reed, on East Main street. The Stark County Horticultural Socie

ty meets to day at the residence of Henry Beatty on East Main street. About fifty members of the K. of P. lodge of this city, left this morning for Wilmot where a new lodge will be instituted.

The steam laundry of Lape Bros, has been purchased by John R King, of C ncinnati, who took posession Tuesday and will continue the business.

Fred Schreiner was before Mayor Frantz Tuesday charged with assault and battery. He pleaded guilty and was allowed to go by paying the costs, \$4.60.

The Till Famly gave an excellent concert at the Opera House Tuesday evening. The music, both instruments: and vocal, was entertaining and ther oughly enjoy d by an appreciative audi ence.

Miss Dalsy Roof, who spent a month's vacation with friends in Cleveland has returned, and again occupies her for mer position as saleswoman in Mr. J. T. Brown's music store, 46 South Erie

Mr. Samuel G. Norcross and Miss Laura G. Cox and Mr. William B. Nor-cross and Mles Lizzie Schaum were married by Rev. J. R. Mills, Saturday evening, April 30th at the Methodist Darsonage. While everyone is excited over the

gas question, if they will just stop and Frank Genet was before Mayor Frantz

Monday, charged by Andrew Miller with assault and battery. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$3 and costs. A warrant for the arrest of Fred, Schreiner on the ame charge has been sworn out by the same party. The natural gas funds are steadily in creasing and by to night over \$10.000 will be secured. To night's meeting is

an important one and everyone should make it his business to attend. The meeting will be held in Pioneer Hail, in the Warwick block. The total subscription this morning was \$7,525. The Boston Star Company will appear in Massillon Friday evening, May 6th. This company is composed of the following eminent artists: Medora Henson-Emerson, the distinguished American soprano; Walter Emerson, the greatest

cornet player living; John Thomas

humorist; Nella F. Brown, the gifted and popular American reader; Lida J. Low, accompanist.

The Boston Star Company Friday evening, May 6th. The Clinton County Democratasys: "All whose fortune it was to attend the entertainment at City Hall, Saturday evening, by the 'Boston Stars, are profess in grateful acknowl edgements to the Wilmington Lecture Association for such a rare treat. The company is a constellation of brilliant stars; their entertainment was superb and the audience was delighted, entranced."

CALLED ON BY AN ASSASSIN.

Cold Blooded Attempt to Murder Marshal

Smith at Doylestown. DOYLESTOWN, O., May 3.—Last night an attempt was made to assassinate Town Marshal McDowell Smith. After he had retired a large boulder was thrown through his bed room window. Smith jumped up and ran out with his revolver and met the assassin, who shot at the marshal. The ball passed through the seam of his trousers. The would-be murderer succeeded in getting away, but not until the marshal had fired at him.

Surgical Chair Works Burned

At one o'clock this morning an alarm of fire was struck from box 24, caused by the discovery of fire in the surgical chair works of Dr. F. E. Young, corner Third and Rex streets. The steamer and Hose 7 responded promptly, but the flames had completed their work, gut-ting the entire structure before the firemen arrived. The building was form-erly a stable. The loss on the building is about \$200, and on the machinery, finished chairs and material about \$1,-300; fully insured. Dr. Young is out of the city on a business trip at present.

Uniontown Units

Workmen are extending the side Workmen are extending the side tracks of the Valley at Uniontown Station. When completed they will greatly add to the convenience of both the railway company and the public... An Akron syndicate is leasing an extended tract of land from the farmers hereabouts, with a view to prospecting for oil and gas, evidences of which are abundant. Operations are to begin at once. once.

Notice to Teachers.

The next regular city examination will be held Saturday, May 14th, 1887, beginning at 8 o'clock a.m., in the High School building. C. L. HINER, Clerk.

CARROLL'S C UKI HOUSE.

The D vestigating Committee's Report All the Talk.

The "Demograt" in Great Demand and send with a Relish-What Rev. Kounedy Says as to Officials and Ex-+ fficials.

CARROLLT N. O., May 3 1887. MDITOR (/EMOCRAT: - We have read the DEMOCRAP the pa-t wo days wi h relish it to ling the only paper containing any account of the investigating committee's report of court house and jall at fairs. Your list correspondent makes a la

bore defense of his side of the case, bu he does not represent the sentiments of a large majority of our people. Ther has been flauts—deep and villainous permenting every part of the construction and furnishing of the court housand the guilty ones are now uncovered and about to be brought to judgment and punishment. "The d-d spote" wil

not wash out.
Fake for instance the stonework or the second stery and compare the work done with the specific tions. Mr. John McDonald, a sober, experienced work-man, and Mr. Herman Frederick, or your city, both of wh m worked on the court house and jail, testified before thcommittee, exposing the delinquency of the contractor, showing wherein h-had slighted the stone work and turned it off scarcely haif finished. The speci fications call for the facing stone to be not less than right inches thick. They testify, and numerous other witnessewill testify, that some of them were s thin, inferior and crooked that they had to be propped in the wall while being

laid. The full report of the committee finding will be published in the county papers this work and I assure you ! will raise a perfect torrent of indigna tion throughout the county, and it I bad enough now. Rev. S. Y. Kennedy one of the investigators, says the test mony is even worse than the fludings of commit er, and said publicly this evening that he had no doubt it would, when

the State pentientiary. These men he named as follows:

L. M. Barrack. County Auditor.

John Skeels, Ex. Sheriff.

John Ster ing. Janitor.
William Davis. ounty Commissoner.
Z ph Kayes, Ex Commissioner.
Charles J. Deckman, of Malvern, bid

der for furniture contr et.

A committee of rich farmers have concluded to ask Judge Nichols to call a special grand jury at once, and Oliv r Cogsill ways he will ask the Junge to ap point two of the best attorneys in the district to assist the prosecuting attorney at the expense of the farmers, if

The judgment day has come and we ask the citizens to await results and de fer judgment. CITIZEN

THE CANTON Y. M. C. A. An Interesting Monthly Meeting -- Reports of the Committees.

One hundred and ten young men attended the members monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. at the rooms of the As sociation Tuesday evening. The assembly hall was uncomfortably crowded and when the meeting adjourned to the parlor there was not room enough for half the number present.

The m eting was opened with a hymn Scripture reading and prayer. President Weaver presided. Music was furnished by five members

of the Association under the direction think for a moment they will step in at the Hotel Conrad cigar store where they may not find natural gas, but the best brands of cigars kept in the city.

of Mr. L. Vitak.

Reports were called for from the different standing committees, each of which reported through their chairman. Committee. He said the committee had a man at the rooms each evening to re-ceive visitors from 7:45 to 10 o'clock. An accurate account of each night's work is kept in a book which is open for inspection. The aim of the committee is to make every young man who enters the building have a good time and enjoy himself. This committee will send four delegates to the Salem

convention. Dr. William Stoddard reported for the Christian Work committee. The average attendance for April at the Young Men's meeting Sunday afternoon was sixty-eight. A preparatory service is held's quarter of an hour before the reg-ular meeting. It is the desire of the committee that the religious meetings of the Association shall be the means of sending young men to Christ and turn ing them into the churches of their choice. The meetings of the past month have been full of spiritual power. Three delegates for Salem from this

committee. The Visitation Committee was represented by H. A. Kilbourne This work is to visit sick young men. Thirteen calls were made in April. This branch of the work has been signally successful,

Three delegates or Salem.
The Invitation Committee reported through S. D. McKelvey. It was only organized two weeks and has distribu ted three hundred invitations to the rooms, and given personal invitations to transient hotel guests. This is a great field to work a strong committee and the prospects are bright. Four delegates to Salem.

The Entertainment Committee was represented by H. C. Blum. The services of "Plain Talks" are being conducted by this committee, the next one being by Dr. Fraunfelter, on May 18th, subject: "Late Hours." The Association Orchestra is also a product of this committee's labors. They also have charge of the lecture course and will make it this year better

than ever. Four delegates to Salem.

The employment and boarding house committee have twenty-three names of boarding houses on the registry and secured one young man a situation, They had four applicants. They come in con tact with young men who are strangers and so have excellent opportunities for doing good. Three delegates for Salem Youths' report was received with enthuslasm. Phil. Yost spoke for them.

The committee is not yet organized, but the youths' meeting is alive and grow ting; they hope to fill the room soon.

They will be represented at Salem.

Robert Fast said the men's committee had been reorganized and was doing efficient work. Over one hundred had been received in the past month. In reference to renewals only six resignations had been received. Three delegates for

Twelve applicants were elacted mem-

Twelve applicants were elacted members of the Association.

Mr. George Krichbaum gave a recitation, followed by Mr. Ira H. Rverhard, who brought down the house with a humorous selection. All united in singing "Blessed be the the Tie That Binda" after which the meeting adjourned to the parlor. Befreshments of lemonade and cake were provided by the Ladies' Auxiliary and served from the symnasium, through the door leading into the parlor. This plan is a new one and worked admirably; it forces sociability, worked admirably; it forces sociability,

as the crowd is obliged to keep moving.

The month of April has been one of growth. Canton will not be satisfied with anything less than the livel'es:

Association in the State. This is a high tandard, but not too high. Capable judges don't believe there is a city in the country with any better material for workers than is available here, and they are the ones who decide what the usefulness and power of the organization shall be.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Topics of the Times Given in a Torse and Spicy Manner. Florida is still balloting for a senator.

The interstate commissioners are at New Chicago Forge and Bolt works burned.

Loss #125,000. Osman Digna and the Soudanese rebels are reported captured by friendly Arabs.

George Gensler, aged sixty-four, was found murdered in his restaurant at Minneapolis. Lightning struck a hotel at Whitmore Lake, Mich., demolishing it and killing two servants.

War rumors are received by the concentration of large bodies of troops on the Rus-

sian frontier.

Prince Jerome Bonaparte was stricken with apoplexy at Bordeaux, and is in a critical condition. The crew of the lost schooner Louis O'Neill

have reached Cleveland in rowboats. One sailor will die from exposure. A Liverpool dispatch says important arrests are about to be made of dynamiters

having dealings with America. John Suyder, near Ionia, Mich., killed his wife in a fit of jealousy, and attempted sui-cide, but was checked and jailed.

John Carbell and wife, of Vienna, Wis., were fired upon while riding. Mr. Carbell was killed and his wife fatally wounded. The trial of David Fotheringhem, alleged accomplice of Cummings in the San Fran-cisco express robbery, has begun at St.

Bob Inott, a notorious thief, recently released from the Ohio penitentiary, was caught robbing a Sycamore street watchmaker, in Cincinnati. Nine men were injured in a Chicago roll-

ing mill by an explosion of molten metal, which came in contact with water in one of the molds. Four will die. Joseph Lee and Robert Robinson, colored, of Washington, fought with pistols, because

of an insult by one to the others wife. Robinson is dead and Lee is dying.
Editor, Birthday, Merci, Buckhound and Egmont were the winners of Monday's races at Nashville, and Allegheny, Jacobin, Big Head and Perkins at Lexington.

Jack Dempsey and Reddy Gallagher fought six rounds with four ounce gloves at Cleveland, O. Dempsey broke his arm in the second round. The fight was declared a draw. The Harrison Monument commission de-

cided that the monument should be a bronze equestrian statue, and premiums of \$200, \$100 and \$50 will be offered for the best models. Albert Dennis, a Kentucky sport, recogized an enemy on a passing train at Franklin, Team, and threw a stone at him. He received a bullet from the passenger, which

A heavy export trade in wheat at St. Louis leads the shorts to believe that somebody is working a "corner," presumably R. B. Brown and Williams, Black & Co., cotton dealers of New York. Four days' races, two days' circus, one day Patti, one week queen of the Sandwich Islands, one week Salvation army in National

resulted in his death.

convention, and the opening of the League baseball season, will serve to amuse the residents of Washington, beginning to-day, Base Ball.—Louisville 8, Cincinnati 7; Indianapolis 9, Chicago 1; Pittsburg 8, Detroit 3; Baltimore 15, Metropolitan 9; Athletic 17, Brooklyn 6; New York 5, Washington 4; Nashville 7, Memphis 4; Boston 12, Philadelphia 6; Rochester 11, Jersey City 8;

Zanesville 21, Columbus 10.

Doing of the Gas Company A meeting of the directors of the Gas Company was leld Tuesday at which the bids for the work of drilling the three proposed wells were opened and d scussed. A telegram was sent to Mr. Stewart, the Pittsturg expert who vis-A. T. Stone represented the Reception | ited the city a few days ago, and he will probably arrive in this city this even-ing. It is not definitely settled yet that Stewart will secure the contract, but it is altogether probable that it will be let to him. The plan to sink three holes 800 feet each, in different parts of the city, and to continue one of them to a depth of 3,500 feet in the event that gas is not struck before that depth is reached, has been definitely settled on. It is the intention of the company to limit the contractor to the shortest possible time in which to accomplish the

work.

Woman's Suffrage Convention. The Ohio Woman's Suffrage Association will hold their annual convention as Music Hall, Cleveland, commescing on Tuesday, May 24th, and lasting three days. Susan B. Anthony will be present during the convention, and many other eminent personages are expected to attend. Those expecting to attend will please send their addresses to Mrs. M. J. Preston, 815 Fairmount street, Cleve-

Mogadore Midgets. tor Kansas this week.... Rider Teagar-den, of Salem, will preach for the Disciples next Sun tay....Rev. Abbey preached at the M. E. church inst Sunday .... Mr. B. Fogle, of Canton, is auctioneering for Stewart & Flickinger Mr. Jacob Garl has left to attend the

funeral of his grandson.

Railway Appraisal. The auditors of the ten counties of Stark, Columbians, Carroll, Jefferson, Mahoning, Belmont, Tuscarawas, Port-age, Summit and Cuyahoga met in Cleveland to-day for the appraisement of the Cleveland & Pitteburg Railroad for taxation. Auditor Manly, of this county, and Barrack, of Carroll, left here Tuesday afternoon to attend the meet-

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ing.

well in the world has just been discovered at Fairmount, near here. The test of Professor Octon, State Geologist of Octo, shows that it is flowing nearly 12,000,000 per day. Manager Erdman, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, in this city, has been granted permission to rent a first floor office and he is now looking

about for a suitable location.

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